1 The Honorable Richard A. Jones 2 3 4 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 6 AT SEATTLE JOYCE L. FRAZIER, a single woman, 7 Case No.: 2:17-CV-00283 RAJ 8 Plaintiff. VS. 9 PROPOSED STIPULATED ORDER THE BOEING COMPANY NON-UNION LONG-TERM DISABILITY PLAN (PLAN 10 728777), The Plan, and AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a foreign 11 corporation, 12 Defendant. 13 The parties have stipulated, based on the current status of 9th Circuit law, and pursuant 14 to Rorabaugh v. Continental Casualty Company, 321 Fed. Appx. 708 (9th Cir.2009) (holding 15 that parties may stipulate to the applicable standard of review in ERISA litigation), that the applicable standard of review to be applied to Defendant's decision regarding Plaintiff's claim 16 for long-term disability benefits in this ERISA matter is de novo. Therefore, the Court hereby 17 orders that the applicable standard of review to be applied to Defendant's decision regarding 18 Plaintiff's claim for long-term disability benefits in this ERISA matter is de novo. Dated this 5th day of June, 2017. 19 20 Richard A force 21 22 The Honorable Richard A. Jones United States District Judge 23

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